#### roppers and Smelters Lifted Up First, Investors Reappear and Finally the Meas ares for Relief of the Money Market Send Prices Upand Bears Scampering

The stock market received substantial support yesterday from controlling inerests in many of the most active shares. there was large investment buying, not in odd lots alone but in big blocks taken by cash purchasers. Bear operators, after anding the market firm in the first fifteen ninutes, scurried to cover. The net result the sharpest rally of the year except the day after the panic of March 14.

Throughout the day there were reports that a pool or syndicate commanding, ome said \$25,000,000, others \$50,000,000, had een organized for the express purpose f bringing about a sharp reversal of form. hat there was buying by insiders, a feature ssing in previous days, was everywhere granted, but the consensus of the well inrmed appeared to be that at most there as no closer agreement than that various roups of men should lend whatever supemed to them desirable to their own

he first half hour of the session was quite as excited and turbulent as any other milar period since the long decline began. hatever losses were recorded by the active ocks were made in this half hour and same time there was a rally which than made good the average losses d led the way for an advance which minated in sharp net gains for the day. The copper shares were subjected to the rongest pressure at the opening. The of Amalgamated, which closed 83 on Monday, was at 81 Anaconda points off the previous closing on the previous day London reported big decline in the copper metal speculan in that city, and also a sharp break Rio Tinto. Selling, stimulated by these perts, drove Amalgamated to 781/2 11/2 ints lower than the low price in the panic Anaconda to 53, also a new low record the year. At the same time Smelters some of the other industrials were fadly depressed. The railroad list, though stronger, was by no means firm and gave indication of the rally that was to come. the Standard Oil interests behind Amal gamated and Anaconda are believed to

come into the market quite heavily is time. They gave the copper stocks th the aid of many investment buyers, obstantial support that in less than ten m the time the low points were th these stocks had recovered racheally all of the losses. At the same me the Guggenheims, it was said, began rally Smelters, and the more discerning g the bears discovered that the marke generally was receiving a support which was both entirely unexpected and too grong to contend against. Commission houses sent in order after order for the purchase of stocks for in-

vestors, and the support of insiders, the covering of shorts and investment purchases sombined to bring up prices with extreme apidity. Before noon gains ranging from to 6 or more points had been recorded. Here was a mild panic among the bear perators and during most of the morning he trading was at so rapid a pace that he ticker gave customers of brokerage flices little exact information of the prices prevailing at the moments on the floor.

A very good judge of the market expressed the opinion that not more than \$5.00,000 altogether was put into the market by insiders engaged in protecting their specialities. He based his estimate not at the moment the moment of moment which the

abili upon the amount of money which the nsiders stood ready to put in to turn the ide, but simply upon the amount necessary or that purpose. The unexpected arrival of wealthy investors and the panicky feelmg among the bears made an investment more than \$5,000,000 by the insiders, he quite unnecessary. the afternoon the announcement

from Washington of the ample relief for the money market granted by Secretary Cortel-you created a bullish sentiment, which was considered of itself sufficient to account for a prolongation of the advance. Almost immediately after the announcement there was the sharpest advance of the day, with the exception of the time in the morning when the turning point was reached. Thereafter the market remained steady and

after the market remained steady and generally strong.

Some of the most important gains of the day were the following: Smelters, 5% points; Baltimore and Ohio, 4; Canadian Pacific, 5½; St. Paul, 4½; Northwestern, 4½; Great Northern, 6½; Ore certificates, 2½; Illinois Central, 6; New York Central, 3%; Northern Pacific, 6½; Reading, 4½; Southern Pacific, 3½; Union Pacific, 6½; Steel common, 2; Steel preferred, 2½.

Transactions for the day aggregated 1.253.804 shares, as compared with 1,700,756 on Monday. The general average for the day was a gain greater than the average

lay was a gain greater than the average loss on the preceding day.

#### GARY'S STATEMENT GARBLED. Made to Say, but Not by "The Sun," That Ore Lease Was Perpetual.

Comment was caused in Wall Street yesterday by a declaration that the official statement made by E. H. Gary on October 5. 1906, concerning the lease of the Great Northern's ore lands by the United States Steel Corporation contained this misleading

"The lease is perpetual until the ore is exhausted."

A reference to the files of THE SUN shows that as furnished to this newspaper the statement contained no such sentence. As printed by the Herald, and possibly by er newspapers, it did.

dudge Gary denied yesterday that he had been authorized the declaration that "the case is perpetual until the oreis exhausted." the chairman said that inasmuch as he had insisted upon the cancellation option being ncluded in the agreement it would have een impossible for him to have inserted

A compariosn of the notes taken down his secretary showed that Judge Gary never said that the lease of the ore lands was perpetual, or for such period as the principal should exist. The only suggestion that could be made yesterday was that suncebody, after Judge Gary had left the office of the state of of the steel corporation on October 5. ad assumed the responsibility of inserting be perpetual clause sentence in his state-Who was responsible for the mistake s not known

The annual report of the steel corporation stied a few days ago said that when coninded the lease was to be taken up by the reat Western Mining Company, a sub-diary company of the United States Steel and was to continue "until re is exhausted, unless on January 1, the lease is terminated, under the on reserved to the said lessee."

the announcement made by James J.

Hill on November 22 in regard to the ore certificates to be given to the Great Northshareholders as a bonus no reference as made to the terms of the contract with he steel corporation. The ore certificates he steel corporation. were listed and traded in. There was a landency in some quarters yesterday to complain of a failure to make the exact terms the contract public in the beginning.

leakum and Associates Take a Texas Road. AUSTIN, Tex., March 26.-The Velasco. Brazos and Northern Railroad has passed into the hands of E. F. Yoakum and assoclates It runs from the port of Velasco on the Gulf coast to Anchor. It is stated that will be extended north to a connection with the Trinity and Brazos Valley Railroad, about 150 miles. The acquirement of this read gives the Yoakum system an entrance to another Gulf port. The new owners have also acquired a water front of about

#### GOSSIP OF WALL STREET.

At the banks yesterday afternoon there was a conviction that the worst was over. The bottom of the market had been struck, it was asserted with great emphasis, on the preceding day, and there was little or no probability that it would be touched again. The closing level of yesterday might not, and very likely would not, remain unbroken in the days to come, for after the violent upheavais of three weeks it would naturally take time for the market to attain equilibrium. Prices might be ex-pected to sag off and sharp spurts might be looked for. But such movements, bankers concurred, would be of little consequence as affecting the general situation. The important features of the situation were that the money problem had been practically solved, that the international situation had been immensely improved and that the nervous tension of the last few weeks was relieved.

Such sanguine expressions were not inspired so much by the mere fact of the vigorous rally in the market. That might have been caused entirely by short covering. They were due primarily, no doubt, to the action of the Secretary of the Treasury, who, as one banker remarked, had given assistance not in Oklahoma but in New York, where it was needed. Another influence, only second in importance, was remarkably heavy investment buying and there was confidence also because various "big interests" had shown a disposition to interpose and prevent prices from going to the dogs.

That there was concerted action on the part of either banking interests or groups of financiers in the way of supporting the market was denied in many well informed quarters. Nevertheless, as one banker expressed it, "Some people bought stocks who didn't really want them," and very likely that sentence expresses all the foundation there was for the stories of \$50,000,000 pools or fabulously wealthy syndicates that were bruited about the Street through the closing hours of the ession. Only the previous day some of those who credited such stories were the loudest in insisting that the prominent bankers and financiers whose names were freely bandied about in them had been too badly hurt by the decline to permit substantial support on their part. The mean is undoubtedly correct Some people bought stocks who didn't really want them." Some bought coppers, others bought the Hill stocks, still others purchased Smelters and others again purchased none at me stocks, in other words, received support from the controlling interests in them, but in every case the support was an individual matter and was not at all the most powerful nfluence in the upper movement.

The upward movement was undoubtedly artificial to the extent of these 'inside pur-People who don't want stocks, but buy them, sell when the necessity for support is removed. The support is purely temporary and the market must gain enough strength from other influences to absorb these temper rary holdings. But only to that extent was weakness apparent in the buying yesterday

Purchases of odd lots were renewed in great volume and the aggregate of such purchases was considerable. Every house had them. Most houses had as well a much more effective variety of investment buying. Staid and conservative investors, it appeared, had eventually come to the realization that values were too good to be passed up and were sending in orders for substantial blocks of stocks. Railroad shares were, as always, the favorites, but there were also substantial purchases of the coppers and the more mature industrials. On the whole the amount of investment buying, many brokers said, was greater than on the day of the panic and the days after. Some bankers reported that demands for loans from intending investment purchasers were very urgent all day, these investment purchasers desiring to acquire arger blocks than was permitted by the cash mmediately at their disposal.

One well informed broker advanced the idea that in any analysis of the market consideration should be given to the fact that the floating supply of stocks was enormously increased before the beginning week before last of any large investment buying. Insiders or people close to the insiders of many corporations had thrown over very large accounts and the floating supply of stocks be-came greater than at any previous time in the history of the Street. Life insurance comldn't buy them for the first in all the epochs of market demoralization. The big interests weren't taking them and on account of the immense floating supply investment purchases had little influence on quotations in comparison with prior periods of this kind. On account of the large floating supply also the market was and still is to a considerable extent particularly vulnerable to bear attack. Bear operators had reason to feel confidence in their ability to borrow stocks on easy terms.

Most call loans were renewed before the announcement of Secretary Cortelyou's action. The prevailing rate for renewals was 10 per cent. Subsequently the money

The investment buying and the Treasury action would have brought about a substantial recovery in any event, but the gains would have been in no way as great but for very extensive short covering. The more alert of the bear brokers discovered a firm undertone ten or fifteen minutes after the market opened and got out very well. Their example was followed by others until many bears were really working against their own profit in the rapidity of the rush to get out from under. The large amount of covering naturally tends to weaken the technical position of the market, but it is believed that the short interest remains considerable.

ent in the situation bankers counsel against enthusiasm. Many of the conditions are unchanged, they said, and it is no occasion for exuberance.

The money problem has been solved, said the president of one of the largest industrial corporations. "The relief afforded will carry us through immediate troubles Subsequently there will be easier money because there will be less business. Money will be easier, but a business reaction, though likely to be healthful rather than not, offere no encouragement for a wild bull specu-

The short interest in the copper stocks was largely increased at and immediately after the opening, the attack taking its impetus, as on the preceding day, from a decline in quotations for copper, the metal, in London. The decline was £6 a ton, even greater than on the preceding day, and the bear contingent let it be known that it was confident of depressing prices as heavily as on the preceding day. In the first fifteen minutes they seemed to be making good, for Amalgamated was driven to 78%, a new low for the year, and Anaconda to 53, a loss of 5 points or over in each. The opportunity to buy these standard coppers at prices yielding better than 10 per cent. for Amalgamated and 13 per cent. for Anaconda seemed to many traders altogether too good to lose and there was soon the largest and most animated crowd of the day around the copper poles. Men were bidding a point apart at the same time and in less than ten minutes after the low points were reached the losses had been recovered. At no previous time in all the long decline had the bears so badly oversold the market.

It is very easy to figure how a shoestring could have been run up to a million by taking a bear position in December and holding it Also it is very difficult to find any one who did it. A sale of 1,000 shares of Great Northern, for instance, would have yielded a profit of \$140,000 without pyramiding, but it is practically a certainty that no one made the sale and stood by it. It is equally true that in the others few traders stood by their position long enough to secure anything like the maximum profit obtainable or with the persistence men often display on the bull side It is known that some big operators who took a bear position in December covered after obtaining large initial profits, and then held out while the market, much to their surprise, slid away from them. Thus losing many points of the decline some shifted positions and others lost many points by waiting for a rally on which to renew setting. There

may, of course, have been some one who began selling at the top and kept at it until the bot-tom was reached, but the Street hasn't found yet and has practically concluded that he doesn't exist. But the number of those who started bearish and thought the bottom was reached, turned bullish and lost more than their profits, would fill many pages of a directory of the Street.

#### IRON AND STEEL.

Strong Statistical Position of Iron-Ener-

mous Increase in Orders for Steel. From the viewpoint of pig iron producers and consumers the position of all grades of the metal is strong statistically. The scarcity of spot, the inadequate tonnages available under contracts for the second quarter, the fact that third quarter iron is stiffening, and the growing demands for second half foundry and steel making iron account for the firmness of producers. president of the largest pig iron consuming interest in this market says: "We are almost covered for our second half requirements. Reports from my men who are covering the pig iron producing districts regularly make it plain to us that hand to mouth conditions between pig iron producers and consumers will rule for several months-and perhaps to the end of the year. Our business is growing fast. The same conditions govern the business of our competitors. By the nation's natural increase of population we are gaining a million people a year, and in the last twelvementh we have taken more than million immigrants into the care of Uncle Sam. That means a large consumption of pig iron to provide for the wants of that multitude. We do not look for lower prices for any kind of pig iron so long as present conditions rule "

Reports of sales of Southern foundry on the basis of \$18 for No. 2X foundry at Birmingham are canards. The market is strong at \$18.500 \$19 for second half No. 2 foundry at Birmingham. Prompt and spot are at \$20 and \$23. Eastern Pennsylvania foundry No. 2X is at \$23 to \$26 at furnaces for second half to spot. Buffalo district foundry No. 2X at furnaces is at \$227\$22.50 for second half. There is neither second quarter nor spot in that district. Some heavy tonnages in basic and bessemer were sold yesterday in the Shenango and Mahoning valleys at \$22 to \$23. The new furnace No. of the Lackawanna Steel Company, which was recently completed in the high record time of less than five months, will end this month with the output of 15,5 to tons of basic

than they were a year ago. Twelve important steel corporations report that new business is rolling in at new high records for March. Pressure for most kinds of finished products is ntense, and there is not only no gain against backwardations but in a number of lines backwardstion is increasing. An important steel corporation informs the trade that it can not make shipments of plates and shapes under recent bookings before July and August. In heavy and light rails business is improving. Favorable reports as to indications of bountiful crops of great staples in the South and West are stimulating the placing of speci-fications for track material and rolling stock. In cars the American Car and Foundry Com-pany and the Pressed Steel Car Company report strong pressure for deliveries, record high outputs and a strong and active market. with indications of a number of large specifications to be placed within a few weeks. In heavy industrial and mining machinery manufacturers report continuously good demands. The markets for tin plate are becoming active in business between distributors and con-sumers. Mills are from twelve to sixteen weeks behind in shipments. In black and galvanized sheets and wire and wire products

## RAILROAD EARNINGS. Canadian Pacific: 1907. 1908. Changes. 3d week March, \$1,389,000 \$1,129,000 Inc. \$250,000 From July 1... 49,888,000 43,362,666 Inc. 6,488,334

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Grand Trunk System: 3d week March \$783,370 From July 1 30,911,975	28,401,526	Inc.	\$77,116 2,510,449
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Op.exp.& taxes	193,933	175,061	Inc.	18,872
Net carn	\$60,079	\$62,934	Dec.	\$2.855
Addit'l income.	9,767	7,265	Inc.	2,502
Total income From July 1:	\$69,845	\$70,199	Dec.	\$353
Gross carn		\$2,515,273	Inc.	\$30,066
Op.exp.& taxes		1,403.348	Inc.	161,543
Net earn	\$890,448	\$1,021,925	Dec.	\$131,477
Addit'l income.	164,229	211,122	Inc.	43,107
Total income	\$1,054,677	\$1,143,047	Dec.	\$88,370
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The lows Cer February:				
	1907.	1906.	Ch	langes.
Gross earn	\$248,50	\$213,049	Inc.	\$35,481
Op.exp.& taxes	189,046	172,771	Inc.	17.175
Net carn		\$40,278	Inc.	\$18,306
Addit'l income.	6,006	5,902	Inc.	103
Total income From July 1:	\$64.590	\$46,180	lne.	\$18,409
Gross earn	\$2,137,942	\$1,982,117	Inc.	\$155,825
Op.exp.& taxes	1.477.902	1,489,255	Dec.	2.353
Net earn	\$660,040	\$501,862	Inc.	\$158,178
Addit'l income.	35,778	38.500	Dec.	2,722
Total income	\$695.818	\$540,362	Inc.	\$155,456
	TEXAS C	ENTRAL		
The Texas C				
	1907.	1906.	- Ch	anges.
Gross carn	\$100,287	\$67,868	Inc.	\$82,419
Oper, exp	78,488	45,287	Inc.	33,201
Net earn	\$21,799	\$22,581	Dec.	\$782
From July 1:	\$822,764	8470 000	Inc.	\$155 per
Gross earn		\$670,929 396,673		\$151,835
Oper. exp	515.435	awo,073	Inc.	118,762

Net earn..... \$307.320 \$274.256 Inc. \$33,073 By Marconi Wireless Sa Hamburg, for New York, was 100 miles east of Nantucket lightship at 9 A. M. yesterday.

Sa Teutonic, for New York, was 220 miles southeast of Sable Island at 4:30 P. M.

## The Trust Company of America CAPITAL AND SURPLUS, \$12,700.000.

OAKLEIGH THORNE, Pre DIRECTORS E. CLIFFORD POTTER
JOHN J. RIKER
WM. F. SHEEHAN
GEO. R. SHELDON
HENRY F. SHOEMAKER
JAMES W. TAPPIN
OAKLEIGH THORNE
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W. K. VANDERBILT. JE.
P. A. B. WIDENER

#### BANK REPORTS. BANK REPORTS. REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

THE NATIONAL CITY BANK THE MECHANICS NATIONAL BANK. AT NEW YORK, IN THE STATE OF NEW YORK AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, MARCH 22, 1907 RESOURCES. 5,102,628 00 Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5% of circulation) .
Due from U. S. Treasurer, other than
5% redemption fund..... 10,000 00 \$37,073,458 06 LIABILITIES. Surplus fund.

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State of New York, County of New York, ss.:

1. FRANK O. ROY, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signed) FRANK O. ROE, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of March, 1907.

COFFECT Attest:
CLARENCE H. KELSEY.
PERCY A. RUCKEFELLER.
HENRY HENTZ.

## MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS.

Coffee Quiet and Easier -Provisions Firmer. Coffee declined slightly. The cables were lower, Europe sold to some extent and local traders sold for both sides of the account. Wall Street interests sold and there was little disposition to buy. In a narrow market, however, it required little pressure to cause ower prices. The Brazilian Review takes a rather pessimistic view of the valorization Coffee on the spot was quiet, at 7@7%c. for Rio No. 7. Futures declined 5 to 10 points, closing barely steady, with sales of 32,750 bags, thavre declined 3 franc. Hamburg declined pg. Holiday in Brazil. Prices here as Opening. Highest. Lowest. Closing.

May	6.95	a. a.	9.30	5.90@5.9
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May	8.60	8.7216	8.60	8.70	8.63
July			8.70		
September	. 8 8212		8.59	8.90	8.75
May	8.42%	8.5214	8.421-6	8.50	8.3714
July!	8 55-40		8.5212		8.50
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## MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

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ł	MINIATURE ALMANAC THIS DAY.
	Sun rises5:50 Sun sets 6:15 Moon sets 4:57
	BIGH WATER THIS DAY.
	Sandy Hook 5:32 Gov. Island . 6:04 Hell Gate 7:57
	Arrived-Tuesday, March 26.

	Allista Itzabal, march
	Ss Kalser Wilhelm der Grosse, Bremen, Mar Ss Cretic, Naples, March 13.
	Ss Zeeland, Antwerp, March 16.
	Ss Noordam, Rosterdam, March 16.
	Sa Mesaba, London, March 14.
	Ss Campania (Ital.), Genoa, March 6.
	Ss Indiana, Genoa, March 9.
	Ss Livonia, Libau, March 4.
	Ss Lucifer, Manchester, March 5.
	Ss Prometheus, Rotterdam, March 11.
ı	Ss Alitanca, Coton, March 19.
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	Ss Ponce, Ponce, March 20.
ı	Ss Prinz August Wilhelm, Savanilla, March
ı	Ss Hubert, Barbados, March 18.
ľ	Ss Vittoria, Guantanamo, March 18.
ı	Ss Atlantis, Nipe, March 20.
ŀ	Ss Havana, Havana, March 23.
	Ss El Dorado, Galveston, March 20.
	Ss Monroe, Norfolk, March 25.
	Sa Concho, Galveston, March 20.
	Ss Comal, Brunswick, March 23.
	Ss Navahoe, Georgetown, S. C., March 21.
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Ns Comal, Brunswick, March 23, Ss Navahoe, Georgetown, S. C., March 21,
ARRIVED OUT. Sa United States, at Copenhagen from New )
SAILED FROM FOREIGN PORTS.
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	Ss Raiser Withelm II., from Bremen York	for
3	OUTGOING STEAMSRIPS.	
J	Sail To-day.	
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1	close,	80
1	Oceanic, Liverpool 12 30 P M	4 00
1	Statendam, Rotterdam	10 00
1	Venetla, Inagua 11 00 A M	2 00
٦	Panama, Colon 11 30 A M	3 00
1	Uller, St. Kitts 9 00 A M	12 00
1	Comus, New Orleans	12 00
1	Alamo, Galveston	8 00
1	Huron, Jacksonville	3 00
J	Monroe Norfolk	3 00
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1	Carpathia, Naples	12 00
4	Merlda, Havana 9 00 A M	12 00
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4	Jamestown, Norfolk	3 00
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Sall Friday, March 29.		
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Korona, Barbados 12 50 P M 3 00	p	M
Apache, Jacksonville	p	M
Hamilton, Norfolk 300		
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INCOMING STEAMSHIPS.		
Due To-day.		
Cassell Bremen Marc	is.	5
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Shira St. Lucia Marc	h	13
Wurzburg Bremen Marc	h	12
Wells City Swansea Marc	h	9
Tropic Hamburg Marc	h	8
Sicilia	h	10
Kasama	1	13
Astoria	h	16
Georgie Liverpool Marc	h	16
Grosser Kurfuerst Bremen Marc	h	16
Havana Havana Marc	4	23
Teutonie Liverpool Marc	1	20
HamburgMaplesMarc	1	14
Pallanza Hamburg Marc	4	13
Martello	1	13
El Paso	1	21
ApacheJacksonville Marc	1	24
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Loans and discounts. Overdrafts, secured and unsecured. U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits. U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits. Other bonds to secure U. S. deposits. U. S. bonds on hand. U. S. bond account.	28 1 9,373,500 0 395,000 0 3,851,000 0 172,850 0
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	2,440,500 0
Premium on U. S. bonds	7,077 3
Bonds, securities, &c	20,775,631 6
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	200,000 0
Due from national banks enot reserve	
agents)	
Due from State banks and bankers.	F39.975 7
Checks and other cash Items	876,950 8
Exchanges for Clearing House	31,031,670 3
Notes of other national banks	172,110 0
Fractional paper currency, pickels	
and cents	3,562 4
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.	:
Specie	
Legal tender notes 5,508,000 00	)
And the second	- 43,012,435 0
Redemption fund with U. S. Treas-	
urer (5% of circulation)	468,675 0
Due from U. S. Treasurer, other than	5000000
5% Redemption Fund	. 353,044 9
Total	\$245 668 006 5
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LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock pald in	\$25,000,000 0
Surplus fund	20,000,000 0
Surplus fund. Undivided profits (less expenses and	1
takes paid)	2,552,808 9
National bank notes outstanding	9,373,497 5
Due to other national	
banks \$33,929,351 00	
Due to State banks and	
bankers 8,453,222 6	5

Capital stock pald in	\$25,000,000
Undivided profits (less expenses and taxes paid)	2,552.40 9,373,19
Due to other national	
Due to State banks and	
bankers. 8,453,222 65	
and savings banks 22,838,632 44	
Provident reserve fund . 30,000 00	
Dividends unpaid	
ject to check	
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Certified checks 12,414,187 23	
Cashler's checks out-	
standing 10,991,509 21 U. S. deposits 3,395,000 00	
U. S. deposits 3,305,000 00	185,028,556
Bonds berrowed	6,708,156

State of New York, County of New York, Ss.:

1. ARTHUR KAVANAGH, Cashler of the abovenamed Bank, do solemnly swear that the above
statement is true to the best of my knowledge and
beller.

A. KAVANAGH, Cashler,
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day
of March, 1907.

GEORGE H. COREY, Notary Public.

		k County.
orrect-Attest:	YD H DODGE	
JOHN W. EDWIN S.	ND H. DODGE, STERLING, MARSTON,	Directors.
REPORT OF TH	No. 733.) E CONDITION	OF THE

NATIONAL BANK OF COM	MERCE	
AT NEW YORK, IN THE STATE OF AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS & 1907: RESOURCES.	NEW YOR IARCH 22N	K,
Loans and discounts	\$100 706 706	ns
Change and discounts	270	0.9
Overdrafts U. S. bonds to secure circulation	40 884 000	
U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits.	1,325,000	OK
Other bonds to secure U. S. deposits.	450,450	00
Premiums on U. S. bonds	884,882	14
Bonds, securities, etc	14,128,309	97
Banking house and lot	3,520,000	90
Due from national banks (not reserve		
agents)		67
Due from State banks and bankers		63
Checks and other cash items		86
Exchanges for Clearing House		05
Notes of other national banks		000
		UU
Practional paper currency, nickels		0.7
and cents	819	u
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.: Specie		
and the state of t	24,234.672	50
Redemption fund with U. S. Treas	*******	-
urer (5% of circulation)	644,050	00
Due from U. S. Treasurer, other than	011,000	500
5% redemption fund	148,467	06
are remembering thanks	140,401	.,,,,
Total	\$200,955,670	86

ì		24,234.6
į	Redemption fund with U. S. Treas- urer (5% of circulation)	644,0
	Due from U. S. Treasurer, other than 5% redemption fund	148,4
	Total LIABILITIES	200,955,6
ļ	Camital stack and in	#15 000 O
	Capital stock paid in	\$25,000,0
ļ	Surplus fund Undivided profits, less expenses and	10,000,00
J	taxes paid	4,945,01
	National bank notes outstanding	12,700,20
	Due to other national	
	banks \$33,618,703 08	
	Due to State banks and	
	bankers 11,827,827 20	
	Due to trust companies	
	and savings banks 30,465,006 15	
į	Dividends unpaid 6,409 50	
ŧ	Individual deposits sub-	
į	fect to check 48,363,428 48	
ļ	Demand certificates of	
ļ	deposit 11,612 77	
Ì	Accepted checks 19,377.870 23	
Ş	Cashler's checks out-	
ı	standing 2,334,142 55	
١	United States deposits 1.885,376 19	
١	Deposits of U. S. dis-	

United States deposits	1.565,376 19	
Deposits of U. S. dis bursing officers		
Bonds borrowed Reserved for laxes	***********	450,450 Q0 83,400 Q0
Total State of New York, Count, WILLIAM C. DUV, named bank, do solem	ALL, Cashler aly swear th	of the above

	demnly swear that the above the best of my knowledge and W. C. DUVALL, Cashler.
	forn to before me this 26th day
Correct - Attest:	A J. OXENHAM, Notary Public,
Collect. Attest.	WOODBURY LANGDON,

## REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE MERCHANTS' NATIONAL BANK.

RESOURCES.	ori este	
Loans and discounts	\$10,741,681	55
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		
U. S. bonds to secure circulation.		00
U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits	300,000	00
Other bonds to secure U. S. deposits	541,781	50
U. S. bonds on hand.	50,000	60
Premiums on U. S. bonds	34,718	75
Bonds, securities, etc	732,249	
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		
Due from national banks mot reserve		
agents)	1,337,968	06
Due from State banks and bankers	347,017	46
Checks and other cash items		
Exchanges for clearing house		
Notes of other national banks		
Fractional paper currency, nickels		-
and cents		49
Lawful money reserve in bank, viv.	-,	
Specie\$2,258,777 40		
Legal-tender notes 1.070,000 09		
and an action to the country of the country of		40
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer	0,000,111	907
(5% of circulation)	27,500	on
Due from U. S. Treasurer, other than	w r , 0000	550
5% redereption fund	151,906	00
with transferred transferred transferred	1121, 100	3000
Total	\$22.501.008	78
LIABILITIES.	and the co	× (9
Capital stock paid in	\$2,000,000	on.
Surplus fund	1,000,000	

Capital stock paid in	1011000	(A) A :=	\$2,000
Surplus fund	1 1 1 2 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1		1,000
Undivided profits, less er			
taxes paid			
National bank notes out	standing.	68.73	556
Due to other national	AT 000 000		1.000
banks	30,222,639	62	
Due to State banks and			
hankers	888,520	86	
Due to trust companies			
and savings banks			
Dividends unpaid	91	60	
Individual deposits sub-			
ject to check	7,041,683	57	
Demand certhicates of de-			
poslt	52,138	81	
Certified checks	490,337	70	
Cashler's checks out-			
standing	770,024	51	
United States deposits	700,000	00	
		-	19,237
Bonds bofrowed			136
Reserved for taxes	*****		
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Total. \$22,504,008 78
State of New York, County of New York, ss.
1, ZOHETH S. FREEMAN, Cashler of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
2, S. FREEMAN, Cashler, Subscribed and sworm to before me this 26th day of March, 1907. Subscribed and sword
of March, 1907,
A. W. McKAY, Notary Public,
Correct—Attest,
JOHN A. STEWART,
J. W. HARRIMAN,
R. M. GALLAWAY,
Directors.

T. C. & I. to Rebuild Its Rall Mill.

The Tennessee Coal and Iron Company has decided practically to rebuild its steel rail mill. The mill when completed will have a capacity of from 45,000 to 50,000 tons of open hearth steel rails a month, or nearly 600,000 tons a year. This will make the Tennessee Coal and Iron Company the third largest producer of steel rails in this country.

# THE AUDIT COMPANY OF NEW YORK

Forty-three Cedar Street.

New York.

CHICAGO.

PHILADELPHIA. BOSTON

## Certificates of Audit Showing True Conditions and Actual Earnings.

#### DIVIDENDS AND INTEREST.

INTERNATIONAL NICKEL COMPANY.

No. 43 Exchange Place.

New York City, March 19, 1907.

The Board of Directors of the International Nickel Company, at a meeting held this day, declared a quarterly dividend of ONE AND ONE HALF PER CENTUM (112%) upon the Preferred Stock of the Company, payable May 1, 1907, at the office of the Company, No. 43 Exchange Place. New York City, to the holders of record of such stock upon the closing of the stock transfer books. The Preferred Stock transfer books of the Company will be closed on Wednesday. April 80, 1907, at 8 o'clock P. M., and will remain closed until Thursday, the 2nd day of May, 1907, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Thursday, the 2nd day of May, 1907, at 10 o' clock
A. M.
For the convenience of shareholders of record
dividends will be paid as follows:
To all holders of record of one or more shares
of the capital stock of the Company who file with
the Treasurer of the Company, at the above address, a dividend order, the Treasurer will forward
by mall cheques for the said dividend.
For the convenience of holders of certificates
for fractional interests in one share of the capital
stock residing in Great Britain the amount of the
dividend payable thereon will be deposited with
the British Linen Company Bank, Threadneedle
Street, London, and will be paid to such holders
in person upon presentation of their respective
certificates or upon proper identification.
By order of the Board of Directors.

JAMES L. ASHLEY, Treasurer.

#### TOLEDO, ST. LOUIS & WESTERN RAILROAD COMPANY.

RAILEDAD COMPANY.

80 Wall Street, New York, March 14, 1807.
A semi annual dividend of TWO PER CENT. on the preferred stock of this Company has been declared by the Board of Directors out of the surplus earlings of the Company, payable April 15, 1807, to holders of record of said stock at the close of business on March 39, 1807.

The transfer books of the preferred stock of this Company will be closed at the close of business on March 39, 1807, at the office of the Lawyers This Insurance and Trust Company. Transfer Agents. So Liberty Street, New York City, and will be respiced at the opening of business on April 16, 1807. The above dividend will be paid by check, mailed to the latest addresses furnished by the stock-holders to the transfer agents on or before the closing of the boooks.

JAS. STEUART MACKIE, Secretary:

THE HALL SIGNAL COMPANY.

29th Quarterly Dividend Common Stock;
New York, March 27nd, 1907.

A quarterly dividend of ONE AND THREEQUARTERS PER CENT. (13/25) upon the common stock of this Company has been declared payable april 1, 1907, to stockholders of record at the close of business March 26, 1907. Transfer books close of business March 26, 1907. Transfer books close March 26, and open April 2nd, 1907.

The annual dividend of SIX PER CENT. (85), and a quarterly dividend of ONE QUARTER OF ONE PER CENT. (4, of 125) upon the preferred stock of this Company has been declared payable April 1, 1907, to stockholders of record at the close of business March 26, 1907. Transfer books close March 26, reopen April 2nd, 1907.

R. K. WALLER, Secretary.

The Directors of the United Copper Company having set aside the entire amount necessary for the payment of the regular dividends on the preferred stock during the year 1907 (viz. \$200,000) have declared from the profits of the company a regular quarterly dividend of 134 per cent, on the COMMON stock (viz. \$787,500), payable April 29, 1907, to stock holders of record at the close of business April 18, 1907.

The stock transfer books of the company close for the payment of this dividend at 3 o'clock P. M.. April 18, 1907, and re-open at 10 o'clock A. M., April 30, 1907.

# STANLEY GIFFORD.

DALY-JUDGE MINING CO. DIVIDEND NOTICE.

The Daly-Judge Mining Company, a corporation of New Jersey, will, on April 12th, 1907, pay its second quarterly dividend of 37½ cents per share to the registered owners of its capital stock as shown by the books of the Company on March 31st, 1907. Transfers and transfer books will be closed March 31st, 1207, and remain closed until April 13th, 1907. By order of the Board. G. W. LAMBOURNE, Secretary & Treasurer.

Virginia-Carolina Chemical Company.
Ricamond, Virginia, March 12, 1907

DIVIDEND NO. 48.

The board of directors have this day declared a dividend of TWO (2%) PER CENT., the same being consecutive quarterly dividend No. 46 on the Preferred Stock of this Company, payable April 15, 1997, when checks will be malled to all preferred stockholders of record at the close of business on March 30, 1997.

Books for the transfer of preferred stock will be closed 12 noon, Meh. 30, 1907, to 10 A. M. Apl. 18, 1907.

S. W. TRAVERS, Treasurer.

## WESTINGHOUSE

Electric & Manufacturing Company.

New York, March 29, 1907.

A quarterly dividend of TWO AND ONE-HALF
PER CENT, upon the Preferred, Assenting and
Non-Assenting stocks of the company was declared
payable April 10, 1907, to stockholders of record
March 30, 1907. Transfer books will be closed
March 30, 1907, and open April 11, 1907.

T. W. SIEMON, Treasurer.

NATIONAL BISCUIT COMPANY. The regular quarterly dividend of ONE AND ONE-QUARTER PER CENT, and an extra dividend of ONE PER CENT, on the Common Stock have been declared, payable April 15th, 1907, to stockholders of record at the close of business, March 28th, 1907, Transfer books will be closed from March 29th, 1907, to April 15th, 1907, both inclusive, F. E. BUGBEE, Treasurer.

THE CHATHAM NATIONAL BANK.

QUARTERLY DVIDEND.

A quarterly dividend of four per cent, has this day been declared by the floard of Directors of this bank, payable on and after April 1st, 1907 until which date transfer books will be closed.

H. P. DOREMUS, Cashier, New York, March 22nd, 1907.

OFFICE OF THE UNITED GAS IMPROVEMENT CO., N. W. Cor. Broad and Arch Sts.

The Directors have this day declared a quarterly dividend of Two Per Cent. (one dollar per share), payable April 15, 1907, to stockholders of record at the close of business March 20, 1907. Checks will be malled. LEWIS LILLIE Treasurer.

METROPOLITAN SURETY COMPANY. 38 Park Row, New York, March 22d, 1907.
The Board of Directors has this day declared the regular quarterly dividend of two per cent. (2%) on the capital stock, payable April 1st, 1907. Books close March 27th, 1907, and reopen April 2d, 1907.

M. JOSEPH McCLOSKEY, Secretary. UNITED STATES STEEL, CORPORATION.
Dividend No. 13 of ½ of 1% on the Common stock
for the quarter ending Dec. 31, 1806, was declared
Jan. 29, payable Mch. 30, to stockholders of record
Mch. 13. Transfer books close at 3 P. M. Mch. 15,
and reopen at 10 A. M. Apr. 16, 1907.
RICHARD TRIMBLE, Secretary.

## ELECTIONS AND MEETINGS.

METROPOLITAN LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY
Notice of Annual Meeting and Annual Election of
Directors of the Metropolitan Life Insurance
Company for the year 1907 and the Annual Meeting
of the stockholders of the Company for such election, and the transaction of such other business
as shall come before them, will be held at the Home
Office of the Company, No. 1 Madison Ave., New
York City, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon on the 8th
day of April, 1907, and the polls shall open at 10
o'clock in the forenoon and remain open until 4
o'clock in the afternoon.
Every policyholder in this company whose policy
shall have been in force for the full term of one year
hefore, and shall be in force at the time of the annual meeting for the election of Directors, has the
right of voting for nembers of the Board of Directors, in accordance with the provisions of the Insurance law.

JAMES S. ROBERTS Secretary.

Dated March 20, 1807. Dated March 20, 1907.

BETHLEHEM STEEL CORPORATION.

Notice of Annual Stockholders' Meeting.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Bethlehem Steel Corporation will be held at its principal office, No. 763 Broad Street, Newark. N. J., on Tuesday, April 2d, 1907, at 12:00 o'clock noon, for the purpose of

1. Electing three Directors to serve for a term of three years, and

2. Transacting such other business as may properly come before the said meeting.

The books for the transfer of shares of the Capital Stock of the Corporations will be closed at 3:00 o'clock P. M., on Tuesday, March 12th, 1907, and will be reopened at 9:00 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, April 3d, 1907.

B. H. JONES, Secretary.

Dated New York City, March 1st, 1967. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a meeting of the Stockholders of the Commonwealth Insurance Company of New York will be held at the Office of the Company, of William Street, Borongh of Man-hattan, City of New York, on the second day of April, 1907, at twelve o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing eleven Directors of the third class, for the ensuing year, and three inspectors of Election to serve at the next annual meeting, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting. Polls will remain open one hour. JOHN M. DAGGETT, Secretary. PITTFALLS OF SPECULATION

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THE FORTY SINTH drawing of MORTGAGE
BONDS will take place on the 26th of April next,
at 3 P. M., in the offices of the Eank, in the presence of the Interventor of the Supreme Govern-The bonds drawn will be paid at the Bank's offices at their par value, on the 1st of July next, and wit cease to gain interest from June 30th next, Mexico, March 19th, 1997.

#### INVESTORS READ The Wall Street Journal

PROPOSALS.

Department of Public Chartiles, foot of East Twenty sixth street, New York.

PROPOSALS FOR RIDS OR ESTIMATES.

SPALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES will be received by the Department of Public Chartiles at the above office until 2.30 o'clock P. M. on.

MONDAY, A PRIL J. 1907.

Title 1. For providing all labor and materials required for the tearing down and removal, excavation, masonry, steel and from rooting and metal work, carpentry, glazing, painting, hardware, fitting up of closels and linen and blanket rooms and all other work lexcept electric, heating and acentilating and plumbing work, vacuum saceping plant, cooking service equipment the hadding refrigerators, gas and electric lixthes and utting up (other than that of closels and linen and blanket rooms) for the erection and estreadon and extension of the present nurses' home and a nurses' home of the fitting all labor and materials required for the electrical conduit, electric wiring and switchboard work, elevator and dumbwalter work, heating and ventilating work, plumbing work, gas piping, vacuum sweeping plant and all other work except tearing down and removal, excavation, masonry, sheel had hon, roofing and metal work, cappentry, cooking service equipment tincluding refrigerators, gas and electric fixtures and fitting up) for the electron and entire completion of an alteration and extension of the prosent nurses' home and a unrase for the deteropolitan Hospital at Elackwell's Island, the city of New York.

Title 3. For providing all labor and naterials and fitting up for the electric nature and the section of the prosent nurses' home and a unrase house for the Metropolitan Hospital at Elackwell's Island, the city of New York.

he Metropolital the city of New York.

Por full particulars see City Record.

ROBERT W. HEBBERD.

POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT. Washington, D. C., Mar. 11, 1807. Scaled proposals will be re-ceived at the office of the Furchishur agent of this Department, until 2 o'clock p. m., Monday, April 22, 1807. for furnishing miscellaneous stationery supplies, wrapping paper, typewriters, computing machines, scales, rubber stamps and supplies, num-bering machines, scales, convergences, furniture.

Headquarters of the Fire Department of the City of New York, Nos. 157 and 150 East Sixty

City of New York, Nos. 157 and 153 rates as eventh Street. Porough of Manhattan, the City of New York.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES will be received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office until 10:20 o clock A. M., on

TUESDAY, APRIL 2, 1907.

Boroughs of Banhattan, The Bronx and Richmonds of Banhattan, The Bronx and Richmonds of Brooklyn and delivering miscellaneous supplies for fireboats.

Horoughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

No. 2. For furnishing and delivering miscellaneous supplies for fireboats.

For full particulars see City Record.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY.

Dated March 21, 1207.

Headquarters of the Fire Department of the City of New York, Nos. 157 and 150 Fast Staty seventh Street, Borough of Manhattan, the City of New York, SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES will be received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office until 10:20 o'clock A. M., on TUESDAY, A PRIL 2, 1907.

Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond.

No. 1. For furnishing and delivering lumber for use at the repair shops.

No. 2. For furnishing and delivering from and steel for use at the repair shops.

For full particulars see City Record.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,

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Fire Commissioner.

Dated March 21, 1807.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, Office of the Supervising Architect. Washington, D. C., March 14, 1807. SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until 3 o'clock P. M. on the 10th stay of April, 1807, and then opened, for furnishing and equipping additional tolet rooms, etc., in the U. S. Court House and Post Office at New York, N. Y., is accordance with drawing and specification, copies of which may be obtained at this office of at the office of the Chief Engineer and Superintendent of Repairs, U. S. Public Buildings, New York, N. Y., at the discretion of the Supervising Architect.

RECRUIT DEPOT, Office of the Construction Quartermaster, Fort Sjocum, New York, March 26, 1907.—Sealed proposals in triplicate will be received here until 11 A. M., April 13, 1907, for making repairs to Passenger Wharf, Freight Wharf and Trestie and Coal Shed. Information furnished on application. United States reserves right to reject any or all bids or parts thereof. Proposals should be enclosed in sealed envelopes marked "Proposals for Repairs to Passenger Wharf," &c., and addressed W. T. WILDER. Constructing Quartermaster.

PROPOSALS—Governors Island, N. Y., March 23, 1907.—Scaled proposals, in triplicate, for material and labor required in repairs to wharves, at Governors Island, will be received here until 11 A. M., April 24, 1907. U. S. reserves the right to reject any er all bids. Information furnished on application. Envelopes containing proposals should be indorsed "Proposals for repairs to wharves," and addressed CONSTRUCTING QUARTERMASTER, Governors Island.

OFFICE, COMMISSIONERS, District of Columbia, Washington, D. C., March 20, 1967. SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until 12 o'clock noon, Monday, April 15, 1997, for the construction of sewer. Forms, specifications and necessary information may he obtained at room 43, District Building, Washington, D. C. HENRY B. F. MACFARLAND, Capt. JAY J. MORROW (Acting), Commissioners, D. C.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.
Scaled bids or estimates for fornishing and delivering lee (Contract 1937) will be received by the
Commissioner of Docks at Pier A. Battery P.ace,
until 12 o'clock (noon) on April 3, 1907. (For pagticulars see City Record.)

ELECTIONS AND MEETINGS.

THE PEFER COOPER FIRE INSURANCE
OMPANY,
As election for Directors and Inspectors of Election will be held on Monday, the eighth day of April,
at the office of the Company. Polls open from 12 Mr. to 12:30 P, M. O. S. CANDIDE'S, Secretary. NOTICE.—The adjourned meeting of the stocksholders of The Kinsey, Rainler & Thomson Company of New York, for the election of directors and other business, will be held at the office of the Company, No. 303 Broadway, New York City, on Moday, April 10th, at 10 o'clock A. M.

By order of the President.

STUART H. WALKER, Secretar

The Washington Life Insurance Co., The Washington Life insurance but all Broadway. New York.

The annual election of Directors of this Company will be held at the office of the Company one TUESDAY. APRIL 2ND, 1997, at twelve o clock! noon. The polls will be open for one hour.

J. W. B. VAN DE WATER, Secretary.

No Extra Charge for it.

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